

Program For The Spur Chautauqua; A Great One

The people of Dickens County and especially of Spur are fortunate in securing the able talent they have in the Chautauqua course for this year. There will be four days, beginning Monday, August 23rd and continuing on through September 3rd. Four days with at least two entertainments for each day that will make everybody glad they were present.

The personnel of this Chautauqua are not the discarded persons from entertainment companies, but are the choicest talent that can be secured in America. Few people have heard greater men than Dr. W. G. Beasley and Dr. Mattison W. Chase, who will be with Spur's Chautauqua two of the four days this year. Each of these men will give lectures.

Aside from these able lectures the Spur people have secured the Vocalion Quartette, composed of four ladies who are among the great musical artists in this country. Then there is Miss Maude Cox, a reader and impersonator of natural fame, who will give one of the best programs ever known in the American Chautauqua work.

Then there must be some fun to add spice to the work. For this purpose the committee has secured Haenchen, possibly one of the greatest magic men known, who will carry the people and especially the children to a great trip through fairyland.

It has been the purpose of the committee to secure a program that would be interesting to everybody. Again, let us say the only charge that will be made is for reserved seats, but you will be required to have a ticket before you can get by the door. You do not have to buy a reserved seat unless you want one. There will be other seats which will be free, but a reserved seat will just

give you a little better advantage of the program. Get your tickets at the business houses mentioned in last week's paper and be ready when the time comes to attend the greatest line of entertainments you ever witnessed.

The following is the program:

- FIRST DAY, August 31.**
- AFTERNOON**
3:00 P. M. Prelude Concert The Vocalion Quartette
3:30 P. M. Lecture Dr. W. G. Beasley
EVENING
8:00 P. M. Prelude, The Vocalion Quartette
8:30 P. M. Lecture, "The Four Pillars of National Safety", Dr. W. G. Beasley.
- SECOND DAY, September 1.**
- FORENOON**
9:00 A. M. Junior Rehearsal
AFTERNOON
3:00 P. M. Entertainment, Peg O' My Heart Company
EVENING
8:00 P. M. Play, "Peg O' My Heart"
- THIRD DAY, September 2**
- FORENOON**
9:00 A. M. Junior Rehearsal
AFTERNOON
3:00 P. M. Haenchen, the Mystic
3:30 P. M. Miss Maude Cox, the Impersonator.
P. M. Lecture, "Sight and Insight," Dr. Mattison W. Chase
EVENING
8:00 P. M. Prelude Miss Cox and Mr. Haenchen
8:30 P. M. Lecture, "Bugs and Hum-Bugs" Dr. Mattison W. Chase
- FOURTH DAY, September 3**
- FORENOON**
9:00 A. M. Junior Rehearsal
EVENING
8:00 P. M. Home Talent Revue

FORD AGENCY MOVING INTO NEW QUARTERS

The Ford Sales Agency, familiarly known as Godfrey and Smart, are moving from the Godfrey building to their new building just completed at the corner of Third Street and Burlington Avenue. It will require a few days for them to get everything moved and business running smoothly in their new home, but they expect to be able to take care of their line of trade at all times.

The new building is one of the finest of its kind in Texas. It has a 75-foot front, well lighted with first class plate glass, and the south side of the building has a series of fine large windows. The building extends 165 feet back, and has different com-

partments for every phase of the business.

The north section of the building will be used for an exhibit room for used Ford Cars.

The whole building will be heated with hot air system of heating. There are rest rooms, drinking fountains and approximately every convenience known is arranged for in the building.

Messrs. Godfrey & Smart will be glad to meet their friends in their new building.

KINDERGARTEN DEPARTMENT

The Kindergarten for Spur schools will open Monday, September 14th. Any one interested in this department will see Mrs. Cecil Fox, Teacher.

CLIFFORD B. JONES, Pres. W. F. GODFREY, Treas.
S. H. TWADDELL, Vice-Pres.

Spur Poultry Ranche

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Northwest Texas Fair 30 Days off

The Association Leaving Nothing Undone; Making the Best

Within another four weeks the Northwest Texas Fair will be in session at Spur. The Fair Association is leaving nothing undone to make this one of the greatest exhibits of any in west Texas. The different committees are meeting with the people in communities, endeavoring to lend all assistance they can in helping the committees select good exhibits. The Fair Association expects to canvas the county before the Fair opens and offer every encouragement to the farmers in exhibiting their products.

Our good farmers have the products and they know they have them. And they expect to show the people from other parts of the state that Dickens County is the best county in Texas. The Fair Association appreciates this interest and are willing to co-operate with the people in making a good Fair.

The Times force will have the catalogs out to the committee this week which will greatly enhance the progress for preparations. Also, there are many rules and regulations printed in this issue of the Times which may be of much help to people who have not been able to secure any instructions in any other manner.

Any one should be glad they are a citizen of Dickens County. We have excellent crops, good soil, best of stock, and the people are of a very progressive disposition which is evidenced by the good educational attitude they hold.

Let's put the Fair over right. The people are united in making Dickens County the best yet.

BRYANT-LINK CO.

We came to Spur on the first train, built a tin ware house and started doing business. That was 1909. Our floor space was then 1875 square feet. It is now 21,900 and we think the most modern general store in any town even of twice the size of Spur in Texas. Perhaps, some people do not appreciate the fact that we have built in Spur this remarkable store and that it is a great help to this country. Every week, nearly, some man or committee of men from some other town comes to see us asking that we put a store in their town.

Why is this? Because they realize a store of this kind adds real value to a community. We feel that we are part of this country, that we have helped to make Spur a town that is known far and wide as a real live town. Our Spur store is the best equipped of any store we have and we do business in several larger towns.

If you are new in this country, we want to meet you. We want your business. You will like us if you really know us. We are the old fashioned kind that believes the Bible, that there is a God who fashioned the world. We don't believe it all just happened. We have had some personal experience that convince us even more than revelations that there is one who rules the destiny of men and nations.

Most of our bunch were raised on the farm, but you could tell that by looking us over. We are just corn-bread and buttermilk folks. We don't think everybody is crooked but us. If we did, we would not be in business. We think there are thousands of men and women in this country who would die rather than sell their honor for a million. When we get to the point where we do not believe in the virtue of women and the integrity of men, we will know by that sign we ourselves, have gone astray. It is a good old world. There is lots of wonderful people here. And we have a wonderful store in Spur. Come on with the crowds and bring the children. School days are coming soon. Children tell your mamas to come to Bryant-Link Company for your "Billiken Shoes" and other things you are going to need. We are going to give you a nice duck school bag just the day school starts. But you must write your name and address in a book. That's all.

The Dickens Co. Times added another to their force last Thursday in the person of Rev. L. L. F. Parker, who helped with the work. He makes a good hand too.

Mammoth Stock of Goods Arriving

Spur Merchants Securing Best For Their Customers

Every day there are great loads of merchandise being unloaded in Spur for the purpose of supplying Dickens County. The various merchants have taken a great deal of interest in securing the very latest in merchandise from the markets, and this Fall people of this country will be able to be as well dressed as in the large cities.

There is now being exhibited in many of the stores garments of the latest Fall fashions, and the chic styles are as unique as will be found anywhere. The merchants have spent a great deal of time and money in going to market in order to secure the best for the people. They appreciate the fact that people of this country enjoy good things just as much as people of any other country enjoys them, and it has been their purpose to bring the best to the local markets.

In Spur stores will be found the styles of Dallas, which is rapidly becoming the great style center of the southwest; Chicago which governs the fashions of the great northwest; and New York, which is the metropolitan fashions for the east. Spur has all of these in one great combination which will be found in the many store here.

When any one passes up Spur to go to other towns to secure their Fall apparel, they will be passing up not only the best in material, but the latest fads and fashions to be found anywhere in the United States.

The local merchants have always been able to supply the needs of the home people. They know the good people of this territory depend on them and have always given them their patronage. This year there will be a greater stimulus in business than ever. People who buy from their home merchants are going to be up to date in everything.

SPECIAL PRICES AT THE CASH VARIETY STORE

Our special for next Saturday and Monday will be 20 per cent off on all purchases amounting to \$1.00 or over. Remember the date, August the 29th and 31st.

J. T. McCulloch, Prop. Spur Tex. adv.

Spur's Teachers Off To Institute At Lubbock, 31

The South Plains Teacher's Institute convenes at Lubbock Monday, August 31st. Teachers of Dickens County will attend this institute in compliance with the state laws which requires all teachers to spend at least one week of professional preparation for their work.

The South Plains institute is, not just an ordinary county institute where a few teachers meet, but is composed of several counties and have some of the greatest educational men of the state to direct it. This gives teachers a great advantage over the one county institute, and our County Judge is to be commended for making this arrangement for his teachers.

The following persons will be on the faculty for this year:

P. W. HORN—conductor, President Texas Tech. College, Lubbock.

C. L. SONE—Assistant Conductor, Superintendent City Schols, Slaton. M. E. WITT—Lubbock High School Secretary-Treasurer.

MISS LILA BAUGH—Conductor, Primary Section A, first and second grades, Teachers' College, Kingsville, Texas. MISS CORRINE NASH, Primary Section B, third and fourth grades. Primary supervisor, Lubbock City Schools.

O. A. ULRICH—Conductor of Intermediate Grade Section. Professor of Education, Southwestern University.

R. P. Jarrett—Conductor High Section. Professor of Education, in Teachers' College, Canyon, Texas.

A. H. LEIDCH—Conductor of Rural School Section. Dean of Agriculture, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Texas.

MISS MARGARET WEEKS—Conductor of Home Economics Section. Dean of Home Economics, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Tex.

R. M. CHITWOOD—Business Manager of Texas Technological College. Will speak three times on Texas general assembly on Texas State School Survey.

MISS L. JANE DUFFY will speak to general meetings September 3 and 4, on health work in the schools. She is connected with the Bureau of Child Hygiene in the state.

J. B. RUTLAND will speak on subject of general interest to teachers of vocational agriculture. He is a mem-

ber of the State Department of Education.

W. R. WAGHORNE will lead the singing at opening exercises and will deliver one address to the general assembly on the subject of Public School Music. He will also give a pipe organ recital at the Methodist Church on the night of September 3, for the special benefit of the teachers of the institute.

Lectures It is expected that there will be present a representative of the State Department of Education, and also of the State Interscholastic League.

The following members of the faculty of the Texas Technological College will deliver one or more addresses either to the general assembly or to section meetings:

DEAN J. M. GORDON
R. C. HARRISON, Head of Department of English
W. A. JACKSON, Head of Department Economics
J. C. GRANBERY, Head of Department of History

DAILY PROGRAM

8:30 to 9:00—Opening exercises music, devotional exercises
9:00 to 9:55—General meeting
10:05 to 10:55—Section Meetings
11:05 to 12:00—General meeting
12:00 to 1:30—Noon intermission
1:30 to 2:15—Music and general meeting

2:20 to 2:55—Section meetings
3:00 to 3:30—Separate meetings by counties and independent districts

General Provisions

Suitable rooms will be provided at an expense of not more than \$1.00 per day.

The general assemblies will be held in the auditorium of the Lubbock High School properly designated.

To assist in meeting the expenses of the institute each teacher will be expected to pay a sum equivalent to one and one-half per cent of one month's salary.

EPWORTH LEAGUE BAKERY SALE

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church will hold a Bakery Sale at Campbell and Campbell's Furniture Store, Saturday August 29. The sale will consist of Cakes, pies and dressed chickens. It will be a good opportunity for people to secure material for their Sunday dinner.

Why Farmers Should Keep A Bank Account

Farmers as a rule keep no book accounts. Their Bank Deposit book affords them a complete record of their cash receipts, while the stubs of their check book is a perfect record of expenses and payments. Paying a laborer, a store account, or any other bill with a bank check is much safer than with money because the person receiving the check must endorse it, and the check, being returned to the maker by the bank, can be preserved as a receipt. Money deposited in a bank is not so easily fooled away as when carried around in one's pocket

Farmers:—Make the experiment for one year of keeping a bank account and see if it does not pay. A large number of our best farmers have accounts with us. In case of loss of your check book by fire, theft or otherwise, the bank will furnish another, free of expense.

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FARMERS URGED TO SELL COTTON SLOWLY

Bayliss E. Harriss, mayor of Galveston and member of the cotton firm of Harriss, Irby & Vose, in a message to M. H. Thomas & Co. cotton factors of Fort Worth, last Thursday urged Texas farmers to go slow in the marketing of their cotton. Harriss believes that cotton prices will go higher and that the farmers are justly entitled to a higher price than at present prevails. Estimates indicating a crop of 14,000,000 to 14,500,000, he says are ridiculous.

"A year ago the conditions and prospects in both Texas and Okla. were infinitely better than they are today," his message states, "and no one at that time conceded Texas more than 3,750,000 and Oklahoma from 800,000 to 900,000 bales. Yet, today with 70 percent of the crop in Texas a pitiful disaster and the other 30 percent by no means as good as a year ago, they are willing to concede Texas as good a crop as a year ago, and Oklahoma 500,000 to 600,000 more than a year ago at this time. Even the most optimistic could hardly concede Texas more than 3,000,000 bales and Oklahoma certainly not over 1,000,000. This makes a deficiency of more than 2,000,000 bales which it will be physically and humanly impossible to make up in the balance of the belt. The crop at best, under normal and average conditions from now on, certainly can not be more than 12,500,000 bales. There is no question but what the cotton with any staple merit will command very high premiums on account of the fact that the bulk of the Texas crop will be of inferior staple. My advice to the farmer is to sit steady and not be in too great hurry to sell his cotton."

WEST TEXAS DOINGS 6 *

A two day's meeting of the sheep and goat men of Sonora territory has just been closed at the Experiment Station near Sonora. Over two thousand persons were in attendance at this meeting. B. Youngblood and J. M. Jones both of A. and M. College were the principal speakers.

The Brady Chamber of Commerce Egg Demonstration farm may now be said to be in actual operation. The half-dozen eggs representing the first out put of the farm are on exhibition in the show window of the Broad Merchantile Co. and are creating considerable interest.

The first district meeting of the West Texas Farm Bureau was held at Plainview on August 20-21. The district comprises thirty eight counties immediately surrounding Hale County and more than 2000 farmers attended this meeting. Col. Clarence Ousley was the principal speaker.

The Williams Service Company, air plane transportation and mail service, to operate between Fort Worth and Los Angeles has notified the Cisco Chamber of Commerce that the company will use the Cisco aviation field for landing passengers, mail and the freight. The company will have a representative here shortly to install the four-acre tract secured for the landing field in Cisco.

In a special election held at Lorraine last week, bonds amounting to \$30,000 were authorized for the purpose of improving and extending the water works system.

The first bale of cotton for the 1925 season was brought to Mineral Wells last week by W. W. Harrington of the Pleasant Valley Community. After being ginned the bale was auctioned off in front of the Chamber of Commerce Building by the Davidson-Caldwell HWD. Company for 23.65. The bale weighed 420 pounds, bringing a total of \$99.33.

Amherst votes bonds amounting to \$50,000 for water works system. The election was carried by a large majority. Contracts will be let shortly.

The Friona Star, published by John White, Secretary of the Commercial Club, is said to be the newest weekly newspaper published on the Plains. The paper is now being printed in Clovis, pending the arrival of the machinery for the new plant.

The first high line for power trans-

mission in that section has recently been completed from Roswell to Artesia. The line carries 33,000 volts and the juice was turned on last week. This system will enable Hagerman, Dexter and Lake Arthur to have the same class of service as will be maintained at Artesia.

According to H. E. Barnes, agent for the Wichita Valley railroad, who has just returned from Boulder Colo., the receipts at Munday exceed those at Boulder, Colorado, a city of 16,000 population by more than \$60,000 per year. Mr. Barnes says this is due to the extraordinarily large amount of agricultural products shipped from Munday territory.

W. D. Benson, Sr. of Breckenridge, who has a large amount of property at Lubbock, let contracts last week for a two story brick building in the business section of Lubbock to house a United Stage Depot which has been needed for a long time with stage lines operating in every direction out of Lubbock.

HOW U. S. EXPORTS TO MEXICO INCREASED

Washington—The more than \$15,000,000 increase in American exports to Mexico in 1924 over 1923 represented heavier purchases of a variety of goods, including fuel and lubricating oil, distilled gasoline and tires, the Mexican Embassy pointed out in a trade analysis made public Sunday. Mexican imports from this country last year totaled \$35,076,703 American money.

Substantial increases were made in imports of dry goods, notions, knit goods, hats, drugs, chemicals, glass, porcelain and chinaware, while minor advances were recorded in purchases of prepared food products, wood pulp, paper products, malt, hops, crates, barrels, number and mine supplies.

The Embassy's analysis declared the expanded buying due to increased industrial activity, larger use of automobiles, heavier exports of certain products and improved purchasing power of the population because of stable conditions.

Imports of arms and ammunition in 1924 totaled \$100,362.50 and the statement viewed this as a "very significant fact, which suggests clearly an orderly condition," especially since, "on the other hand, the imports of machinery, iron and steel foundry products, automobiles and vehicles amounted to nearly \$50,000,000."

Articles imported in amounts smaller than in 1923 included cotton and its products, coal foundry products, cattle and meats, dairy products, jewelry and other items, the Embassy asserting that Mexico's more sufficient crops and industrial activity together with increasing economy were responsible.

With an extensive program of road building now under way in Mexico under Federal appropriations totaling \$1,000,000 Mexican, each month the Embassy predicted that sales of automobiles and accessories would treble in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hendricks, Mrs. W. A. Hlume and Miss Norma Hulme, all of Crosbyton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Starcher last Friday.

CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES

Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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784 MORE MILES OF U. S. HARD ROADS FOR TEXAS

Texas farmers and tourists now enjoy 784 miles more of the Federal highways than they did a year ago. This mileage, completed in the year ending June 30, cost a total of \$11,778,972, of which the federal government furnished \$4,867,315. Highway construction under this plan now under way in the state totals 1509 miles, while the total mileage completed previous to last year was 3122 miles.

This additional mileage, while a convenience to the tourist in the state, is a godsend to the farmer, accord-

ing to the Foundation. It is estimated that each and every farmer in this section of the country averages 23 tons of farm products hauled to market and 5 tons of feed, fuel, fertilizer, machinery, supplies etc., from town. When good roads make trucks feasible this is not very burdensome, but it represents a good many hours' labor where horses and poor roads must be used. And so while the tourist finds the inter-city roads mighty comfortable, to the farmer a good servicable road from his farm to the nearest market is a downright necessity.

Crop Prospects Are Good

AND WE ARE ALL MUTUALLY INTERESTED IN EACH OTHERS WELFARE. WE OUGHT TO HELP EACH OTHER AS NEIGHBORS, AND STAND BY OUR COMMUNITY AS A PEOPLE.

WE ARE HERE TO SERVE HOME PEOPLE WITH THE BEST IN ALL OUR LINE OF MERCHANDISE. WE GIVE YOU THE BEST FOR THE PRICE BECAUSE WE MUST TREAT OUR NEIGHBORS RIGHT.

IT IS OUR PLEASURE TO SERVE YOU WITH A GOOD LINE OF

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Our line of Work Clothes is standard. We know you want good stuff, and that is what we are handling. Come in, and see our line.

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A Good Store In a Good Town.
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AERIAL PUT ON LIVE WIRE, BOY IS BURNED

LUBBOCK—Harold Wilson, 13, received burns in the palms of his hands, on the bottom of his feet and on his stomach Friday when he tied a rock to a magnet wire for a radio aerial and threw it across a high powered wire carrying 23,000 volts. Ed Arion came to the rescue of the boy who was knocked down by the shock and pried the wire from his hands with a large plank.

Doctors believe that the flesh in the palms of the boy's hands will die and that other flesh will have to be grafted on. He was standing on the pavement when he received the shock and doctors believe that the insulation of the asphalt was all that saved him from instant death.

ICE STATION ROBBED IN SOUTH DALLAS

Burglars entered the City Ice and Delivery Company Station, 2226 Spencer street, South Dallas, Texas, early Sunday morning and obtained \$31 in currency.

Entering the Western Auto Supply Company, across the street from the police station, early Sunday morning, burglars made an unsuccessful effort to open the office safe.

J. W. Thomas, 5455 Bonita avenue, Vickery Place, reported a pair of trousers stolen from his residence early Sunday morning.

J. N. Lawson, of Afton, was greeting friends and trading in our city Saturday.

W. H. Whittier, of Post City, was transacting business in our city Wednesday. Mr. Whittier expects to be a citizen of Spur before long.

NEM—OW—NEM Says:
By Frank E. Wilson

That each person in the world has his own special window through which they see all things—all are different but relative and necessary to make one harmonious whole, being some of the particles making up the universe—keep your window clean, then your actions will be right.

At Holdenville Oklahoma, they stop the trains and pull the fire from the engine, and notify the passengers not to smoke or light matches while running by a gas well near the track. After passing, the train is stopped and the engine is fired up again. They also requested me not to swear as I came from a hot place in Texas.

Bring your Job Printing to the Dickens County Times so Morris can reduce his weight. For Press agent stuff see Starcher, the Editor, and pay your money to Mrs. Starcher, the manager man.

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Spur,

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Texas

**MAKE UNIFORM
CRIMINAL CODE**

Effective organization of the National Crime Commission is under way. Its purpose is to bring into the war for law and order against organized crime organized business.

In its research for information that will assist in decreasing crime in the United States the commission will conduct public hearings. Officials of various states will be invited to attend and give the commission the benefit of their experience and knowledge gained in their attempt to suppress crime.

The character and prominence of the men who are leading spirits in the organization of the National Crime Commission—Albert H. Gary, head of the United States Steel Corporation (George Wickersham and others)—is the best assurance that valuable results will be achieved.

The commission should, and very likely will, attack the problem of controlling crime in a scientific manner. Analysis of the situation undoubtedly will make clear that the law fails to function properly at innumerable points during the procedure of a criminal case from the arrest of the accused to the verdict by the jury.

In Los Angeles, for example, the evil of allowing habitual criminals to remain their liberty on small or worthless bonds has been exposed. The outrageous practice of permitting repeated continuances in criminal prosecutions has also been brought to the public attention. And the possibility that the plea of insanity as a defense for murder is allowed to hold innocent criminals beyond just punishment strikes in the average public mind like a personal injustice.

Logically, it would seem, the National Crime Commission, while doing all that is possible under the existing law to assist in checking crime, should concentrate constructive effort on securing revision of the procedure that is supposed to bring a person accused of crime to a trial and enforce his sentence if he is convicted.

In many states, notably California, the legal machinery of the criminal court and the district attorney's offices is antiquated. It is obsolete, loose and as incapable of attaining speed as an out-of-date automobile. Habitual criminals, presumed to be in the grip of the law because they have been incited, although not yet tried, are enabled to evade all restraint and perhaps commit half a dozen additional crimes while awaiting trial for the one with which they are charged.

Preparation of an effective criminal code for adoption by all states would be an enormous but fitting labor as part of the constructive effort of the National Crime Commission.

**SLEEP ABSTAINING
MAY INDUCE INSANITY**

NEW YORK—How much sleep does a human being require for a maximum of efficiency?

Experiments to determine the effects of sleeplessness and fatigue, such as are being conducted by eight students of the George Washington University, according to authorities, are extremely dangerous to the subjects upon which the tests are made.

Dr. T. H. Jenks, instructor of psychology at Columbia University, commented today upon the experiment and the last of its kind attempted a year ago at the University of Chicago, which resulted in three cases of temporary insanity.

"The whole problem of what sleep is really an unexplored field," Doctor Jenks said.

Doctor Jenks pointed out that the temporary insanity resulted from the sheer inability of the individual to fall asleep after doing without sleep for such a protracted period of time. The forms of insanity that manifested themselves among the students disappeared after sleep was finally induced.

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**BRITAIN FINES FIRST MAN
FOR TOSSING CASH AWAY**

London.—First prosecution under a new by-law at Brighton, forbidding throwing of money to children from motor cars was heard when Leonard Wilcox, railway signalman of Dewsbury, Yorkshire, was summoned and fined forty shillings.

Two small boys who were scrambling for money Wilcox tossed from a machine while returning from the races, were almost run over.

ELTON LOCALS

Prof. Cornelius is making splendid progress with his class in music. He has quite a number who are taking lessons, and all are learning rapidly.

Mesdames M. E. Keahey and Sallie Phipps, of Roaring Springs, spent the day with Mrs. Yantis Monday.

Mr. P. Chandler, of Chandler community, was greeting friends in Elton Sunday.

The meeting at the Church of Christ closed Sunday night. They had a great meeting. Dinner was served at the church Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Stewart is visiting Mrs. Burns this week.

J. N. Scott was transacting business at Elton Monday.

Jake Scott has returned from New Mexico and will be here several days, visiting his brother, J. N. Scott, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cooper, of Roaring Springs, were greeting their friends at Elton Monday.

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TO THE PUBLIC

After the opening of school I will teach at the residence of Mrs. Potts, across the street from the High School building.

I shall be glad to see any who are interested in studying either piano or cornet. Call me at the home of my sister, Mrs. Webber Williams. Phone 162—Lena Belle Scudder

F. W. Joiner, who formerly was here as manager of Layne-Yates Co. was visiting friends here Sunday.

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**WOMAN'S SCREAMS ROUT
NEGRO FROM BEDROOM**

DALLAS—Police are seeking a negro who early Sunday morning entered the bedroom of Mrs. Mary Clark 3000 Junius street, East Dallas, and after stealing 35c aroused her by placing his hand on her forehead. Mrs. Clark screamed and the negro fled.

Later anegro was cornered near the house and taken in charge by citizens. They started with him to the police station but he escaped at Swiss avenue and Good street.

Burglars early Sunday morning entered the Packard drug store 710 on North Harwood street, and stole \$20.41 in currency. Two men and a woman were arrested a short time later by Plainclothes Policemen, A. W. Tedford and A. B. Farrow and placed in the city jail.

**FRENCH WINE SHOPS
SHOW PROSPERITY**

PARIS—Statistics just published show that in 1924 there was an increase of 8000 in the number of establishments that sell wines and liquors in France.

There are now 460,147 such establishments in France including wine shops, grocery stores, "epiceries" and high priced cafes and cabarets. That means one for every ninety men, women and children in the country.

**HEN ASSUMES ROLE
OF MOTHER TO QUAIL**

A little bantam hen which hatched out eighteen quail and is mothering them just as carefully as though they were chickens is the unusual sight that can be seen on the farm of a man living at Williamstown Junction, New York.

The hen found the quail's nest about a month ago, and after the mother quail had started setting there the hen drove her off and set on the twenty-two eggs herself. Eighteen of them hatched out.

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Of the First Baptist Church which has been meeting in the Picture Show Building, Will go back to the Church next Sunday.

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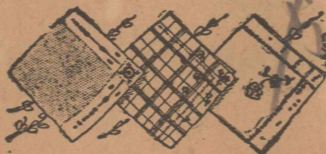
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AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT
H. E. BLENDON, Superintendent
R. B. JOHNSTON, Director

RULES

- All exhibits of the Agricultural Department must be grown by the exhibitor during current season.
- Where there is a conflict between the general and the special rules, the special rules will govern.
- After arrangements of exhibits same will be under control of the director and no persons will be allowed to remove them until after the exhibit is closed. Then they will be delivered upon presentation of duplicate entry cards.
- Each exhibitor will be required to furnish all sacks, boxes and cases necessary for the purpose of exhibition of every article entered, which will be arranged so as to be protected from damage.
- Exhibitors, by referring to the different classes in the department can ascertain the number of specimens and amount required to constitute an entry, and in case an exhibitor cannot accompany his exhibit in person, it may be sent to the Secretary, freight or express charges prepaid, who will receive it, enter it, and place in its proper location.
- All entries made in any department will be subject to the rules and regulations printed in this catalogue.
- Entries in all departments will close Thursday, September 17, at 9 o'clock a. m.
- Separate articles entered as part displays, may be entered to compete for separate premiums in their respective classes; provided that all such articles must be regularly entered and tagged separately before 9 a. m., September 18.
- Provided further: All such articles shall be removed from the display, exhibit of which they may be a part, and assembled with all entries of their class to be judged. No article awarded a premium unless shown with all articles of its class for comparison by the judges. The judges shall pass upon all display exhibits first, in order that the application of this rule shall not disarrange displays by removing articles until awards on display shall have been made.
- No cash premiums shall be paid in any class or department unless there are two or more entries in that class. Ribbons will in every case be awarded upon basis of merit. No premiums shall be awarded, unless in the opinion of the judges the entry is worthy, regardless of whether or not there is competition.

COMMUNITY EXHIBITS

R. B. JOHNSTON, Director

Any community or neighborhood in Northwest Texas is eligible to compete in this department, except the town of Spur, which is barred from competition.

All products exhibited in this department must be grown in the community represented during the season of 1925.

All exhibits in this department must be in place by ten a. m., September 24, and all exhibits not finished by that time will be penalized 25 points for each hour from ten a. m. till exhibit is completed.

PREMIUMS—1st, \$50; 2nd, \$35; 3rd, \$25; 4th, \$15; 5th, \$10.

LOCALS

Mrs. H. V. Link, of Aspermont, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. E. L. Smith.

Mrs. Will Darden, of Girard, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ferguson, of McAdoo, were trading with our merchants Monday.

Mrs. Edwin J. Clapp and daughter left Wednesday for Boston where they will visit for some time.

Mrs. G. A. Welsh, who has been visiting her parents in Olney, returned home the first of the week.

Miss Arline Scudder, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Williams, returned to her home in Abilene last Friday.

W. S. Wigley, of Waco, has accepted a position with the City Drug Store of Spur and is now being installed into his new duties.

Mrs. Lela Evans, who has been enjoying a visit in Colodrao for some time, returned home Saturday, and is now supervising the business at the post office.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Muckleroy, of Eddy, and Mrs. D. D. Greer, of Nadarota, arrived here Saturday and spent the week end with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Abernathy.

Mrs. H. P. Gipson, who has been with Layne-Yates Company, has accepted a position with the City National Bank and will assume her duties Monday. Miss Ila Bowman will assume her duties at Layne-Yates Company.

While playing with an electric fan Saturday, Miss Willie Lee Gilbert had the misfortune of getting two fingers badly cut. Mrs. Russell had just warned her that fans were dangerous to play with, but child-like, she could not resist the temptation.

G. H. Givens, of Tipton, Okla., was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Gregston, north of town. He called at the Times office Monday, made himself acquainted and reported that crops between here and western Oklahoma are good.

Mrs. C. M. Francis, of Childress, is here visiting her father, Emmett Lee.

Mrs. W. R. Snow, of Abilene, was a guest of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Starcher Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. John Law, of Duncan Flat, is driving a new Chrysler Coupe which she purchased from E. L. Caraway.

Miss Dura Whaley, who has been visiting friends in Anson for the past two weeks, returned Monday and has taken up her duties again with Clemmons Insurance Agency.

PASTURE—I have plenty of grass and water. \$1.00 per head. 11 miles west of Spur. See H. J. Parks 41|St

Mrs. Ted Brannen, and son Ted Roe Jr., of Tulsa, Okla. arrived in Spur Tuesday and are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Haile and daughters, Misses Bettie B. and Nadine, and son, Byrum, of Clarendon, are visiting with their brother and uncle, C. C. Haile, here.

Rev. Parker filled his pulpit at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening. He has been away the past two Sundays engaged in a revival meeting at Meadow. He reports a good meeting and many additions to the church.

Ralph Jackson, of Stamford has accepted a position with Layne-Yates Company here and is now with the firm. The manager states that he is a single man and prefers to wait on young ladies one at a time as he gets excited in a rush.

W. H. Harris, of McAdoo, was in our city Tuesday enroute to Abilene.

Mrs. Jeff Whitley, of Jayton, was shopping in our city Tuesday.

SCORE CARD, COMMUNITY EXHIBITS

CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUMS 250
Only one of the three following may be shown, and will be scored on a basis of 250 points.

- Corn—5 samples of ten ears each, two or more varieties, or,
- Grain Sorghums—5 samples of ten heads each, or,
- Corn—3 samples of ten ears each, and grain sorghums, 3 samples of ten heads each.

COTTON AND WHEAT 250
6. Cotton—2 samples of 20 open bolls, and wheat, 1 bundle and one gallon sample.

- Cotton—4 samples of 20 open bolls each, or,
- Wheat—2 bundles and 2 gallon samples, or,

OATS AND BARLEY 25
7. Oats and Barley—1 peck sample and two bundles of either, or one peck sample and one bundle of each.

ALFALFA AND SWEET CLOVER 50
8. Alfalfa, Sweet Clover—2 bundles of either showing season's growth or one bundle of any two showing season's growth.

ANNUAL FORAGE CROPS 50
Annual Forage Crops—3 bundles of different varieties or kinds of sweet sorghum or other annual crops grown for forage. The fodder shall not be removed from the stalks. (No grain sorghums shall be considered as a dual crop.)

FRUITS AND MELONS 100
10. Fruits and Melons—Characteristic of the County native and cultivated. 5 plates of 5 specimens each of different varieties, or kinds, and 5 quart jars of canned fruit of different varieties or kinds exhibited, or 10 quart jars of at least 5 varieties.

VEGETABLES 50
11. Vegetables—10 exhibits of different kinds or varieties in pecks, bushels or quantities as designated in Division 12, and 5 jars of canned vegetables.

Aged Herd will consist of 1 boar, 2 years old or over; 1 sow, 2 years old or over; 1 sow, 1 year old or under; 1 sow under 1 year.

Get of Sire will consist of 4 animals, either or both sexes, the get of 1 boar.

All swine showing in the breeding classes must be registered except in case of pigs under 1 year old, and these must be from recorded sires and dams. As noted above this rule does not apply to fat hogs (barrow classes).

FRUITS AND BERRIES

All fruits and berries must be exhibited in natural and no preservatives used.

CANNED GOODS, PICKLES, RELISHES, ETC.

MRS. MACK BROWN, Superintendent

- All canned goods must be exhibited in quart jars.
- All pickles and relishes best exhibited in pint jars.
- No entries can be later than September 24.

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BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB DEPARTMENT

R. B. JOHNSTON and MRS. LURA HOLLINGSWORTH
Directors

RULES

1. All boys and girls contesting in this department must be members of clubs organized by the representatives of the Extension Service of A. & M. College, in co-operation with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
2. Exhibits must be in by nine o'clock, September 24, 1925. Record books must be brought with the exhibit.
3. A corn exhibit will consist of ten ears; milo, kafir, and feterita exhibits of ten heads each, and a cotton exhibit of twenty open bolls.
4. An exhibit of poultry will consist of one male and two female birds of each variety of turkeys, and one male and four females of each variety of chickens.
5. Each girl contestant must do her own canning, sewing, etc.

OTHER CROPS NOT DISPLAYED ----- 75

12. Other Crops Not Displayed—Exhibits only of one each of tame grasses, broom corn, rye, speltz, edible nuts, popcorn, castor beans, cow peas, pea nuts, 1 dozen eggs, 1 quart honey, and any other crop not displayed under above classification. The relative agricultural value as well as the quality of the products shown will be considered in judging this classification. The quantity of each exhibit to be the same as specified in the general exhibit classes.

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TOTAL POINTS ----- 1,000

Four champion club-members will receive Free Trips to the Dallas Fair, the winners to be taken from any of the above clubs. The exhibits will count one-third, record book one-third, and year's work, according to the records of the County Agent, 1-3.

POULTRY CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS

Rules governing Poultry Club Exhibits

1. All boys and girls contesting in this department must be members of regularly organized poultry clubs, working under the supervision of a County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent.

2. All birds exhibited must have been raised and cared for by the member exhibiting same. Exhibit birds must be selected by the exhibitor, but he may get help from the Agents.

3. A pen will consist of one cockerel and four pullets, in

(Continued on last page)

KOLONIAL KARD KLUB—

The Kolonial Kard Klub met with Dorothy and Rubye Love, Thursday afternoon August 20th. The color scheme was carried out in pink and white. At the close of the bridge hour high prize was awarded to Willie Richburg and high cut prize to Lera Harris, the honoree prize to Miss Marie Plumhoff. As a prize to Mrs. Floyd Barnett she was given a surprise shower by her friends. After which refreshments consisted of two courses and was served to the following guests and members: Lucile Lucas, Lois Lee, Ermal Lisenby, Pauline Brown, Dick Stafford, Mrs. Leland Campbell, Annis Albin, Flossy Hayley, Lera Harris, Bonnie Gilbert, Willie Richburg, Mrs. Floyd Barnett, Mrs. Dan H. Zachry, Thelma McArthur, Mildred Williams, Mrs. J. T. Gorham, Marie Plumhoff of Dallas.

ENTRE NOUS CLUB—

One of the gay and beautifully planned socials of the week was the lawn party of Thursday evening given by Mesdames Bud Jamison and E. F. Laverty. Guests assembled and tables were arranged on the beautiful lawns where the beautiful flowers in their beds, with pretty sunflowers used to carry out the color scheme, made an appropriate back ground indeed for the affair.

Lovely hand painted tallies picturing a sunflower and hand painted score pads made the tables pretty indeed.

Miss Lena Belle Scudder, cornetist, and Henry Elkins with Miss Nell Higgins, accompanist, furnished lovely music for the occasion.

Messrs and Mesdames E. F. Laverty and Bud Jamison made the evening a most pleasurable one.

Guests enjoying the evening were: Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Zachry, Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, Messrs and Mesdames Hill Perry, Roy Harkey, M. A. Lea, Webber Williams, Roy Stovall, Billy Bryant, Chas. Whitener, W. W. Sample, Bob Gipson, G. R. Elkins, C. Hogan, S. H. Twaddell, Birl Hight, C. L. Love, Homer Schrimsher, E. L. Brown, Leland Campbell, Lonnie Harris, and W. T. Andrews; Mesdames E. C. Edmonds, John L. King, Bill Putnam, Kate Seming, V. C. Smart, Nellie Davis, Lura Glasgow, King, G. G. Tharp, N. Harkey, Oran McClure and G. H. Snider; Misses Georgia Jamison, Lena Belle Scudder, Arline Scudder, Nell Higgins, Ella Mae Hogan, Fay Jamison and Ila Bowman; Messrs. Potts, O. R. Maples, Wendom, Richburg, and Henry Elkins.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Subject—"Working Among The Workers of Buddha."
Leader—Miss Kittle Powell
"Baptists In the Land of Buddha"—Miss Dura Whaley.
"Population in These Lands"—Rachel Langston.
"Religious But Lost"—Russey
"What These Religions Teach"—Mary Stovall.
"Growth of the Gospel"—Laurino Seals.
"Christ Will Yet Conquer Japan"—Mrs. Starcher.

J. T. Sullenberger, of the Dublin Progress, was visiting friends in our city Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Sullenberger formerly lived in Spur and has a great many friends in our city. We are grateful to him for a visit to the Times office while here. The Dublin Progress is one of the cleanest, neatest country papers in Texas and Dublin should be proud of it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Godfrey returned Sunday evening from an extended camping trip into Colorado and Wyoming. Mr. Godfrey stated they enjoyed a wonderful time and saw many beautiful places. The only objection found to Colorado and to Wyoming is that they have so much land there that they have to pile it up too high.

Rev. J. W. Jennings, of Steel Hill, was in our city Tuesday. He stated he had just returned from Jones County where he held a meeting near Hamlin and had great success. There were about thirty five conversions and thirty-one accession to the church. People in attendance ranged from 600 to a 1000 during the night services.

W. H. Crouse, of Stephenville, is here this week looking after his property interests and having his building on the corner of Third Street and Burlington Avenue remodeled. He is putting in a nice glass front and new floors which is making it a very attractive business house. The Times

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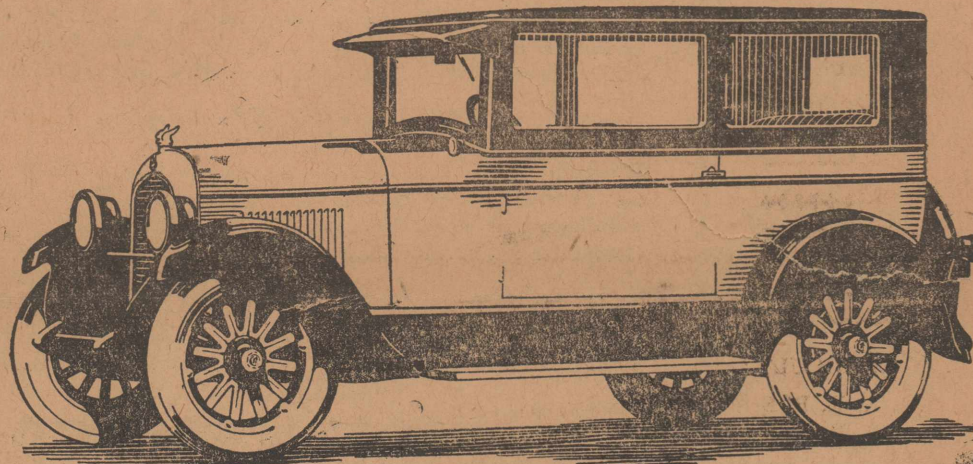
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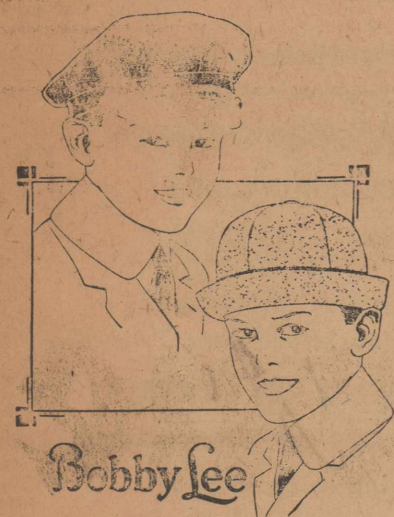
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will occupy the building in the near future.

J. F. Hickman, of Dry Lake community, was transacting business in our city yesterday. Mr. Hickman came from Tennessee and says he likes this country fine, except he was looking for a dry country and that some of his neighbors misrepresented this one to him. He says everything looks good in his community.

Rev. A. P. Stokes is in a meeting in his home community at Afton this week. It is thought the meeting will extend over two weeks, and reports are that there is much interest being manifested now. Rev. Stokes is an able minister and holds good crowds wherever he preaches.

Frank E. Wilson, who has been in

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ROCKEFELLER GETS BIG VALUE FROM DIMES, GIVES MANY AWAY

Probably there is nobody in the entire United States these days of the low purchasing value of money, that can get more out of a dime than John D. Rockefeller, the retired oil king.

Rockefeller gave away another dime the other day, and collected clippings for his scrapbook about it that many a captain of industry would have paid thousands for. The agreed that it was worth about a quarter of a column of space.

A little while before that Rockefeller gave away four dimes and drew nearly a half-column in the New York papers. The Rockefeller "lucky dime" has become something of a national institution.

Rockefeller's valet, George whose duty is to keep the oil king's pockets filled with the shiny new coins, maintains the discreetest of reserve when questioned about Rockefeller's growing penchant for handing out dimes, but a statistician at the Rockefeller offices in lower Broadway estimated that in the last 10 years Rockefeller has handed out to divers and sundry persons approximately 7,300 of the "lucky" coins, or an average of two a day.

Many of the oil king's friends have sought to learn from him just what idea lies behind the dime habit, which seems to be growing fast, but the best explanation they ever have gotten out of him is that it is "just a little notion of his."

Rockefeller started the dispensing of small sums years ago, when it was his custom to present bright, shiny pennies to children, delivering with each penny a homily on the value of saving. Then he jumped the "presents" to shiny, new nickels. And about 10 years ago he boosted the ante to a dime.

Originally Rockefeller gave his small coins only to children, but in more recent years, finding that the grownups were as delighted as children to receive dimes at his hands, he began passing them out to adults. The diver of a rival company's oil wagon, who gave the oil king road directions, was one of the latest recipients. Miss Glenna Collet, the woman golfer star, boasts possession of one of the Rockefeller "lucky dimes" recently bestowed.

Rev. James P. Hughes, who was transferred from St. Teresa's Church in Tarrytown last week holds the latest one reported dispensed. Presentation of Rev. Hughes' dime done up in a plush jewelry box, was the high spot of a farewell celebration given the priest. Rockefeller sent by a Tarrytown bank, with whom he had played golf the day previous.

Few of the "lucky dimes" ever are spent. The Standard Oil statistician estimated that 8 out of every 10 are kept permanently as pocket pieces.

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Individual Exhibits Geo. S. Link, Chairman
R. E. Dickson, Reese McNeil, S. H. Twaddell
S. R. Bowman

Livestock Department

Superintendent A. B. Morgan
Hogs, Horses and Mules W. A. Stearns
Cattle, Sheep and Goats J. L. Karr
Poultry J. A. Smith and F. B. Crockett

Women's Department

Mrs. LURA HOLLINGSWORTH, Director

Domestic Arts Mrs. T. H. Blackwell
Domestic Science Mrs. W. C. Presley
Canned Goods Mrs. Mack Brown
Girl's Department Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth

Committee Chairmen

Program C. B. Jones
Advertising and Publication W. B. Williams
Buildings and Grounds F. W. Jennings
Concessions C. L. Love
Finance J. B. Reed
Amusement and Entertainment Mrs. Ruby Pierce
Boys' Club Department R. B. Johnston
Sports G. R. Elkins

ANNOUNCEMENT

It is with a great deal of pleasure that the officers and Directors announce to the Stockholders of the Fair Association and to the public, that the Association is on a solid foundation. It has been a hard struggle, requiring much faith and much hard work to accomplish this end.

To those who have so cheerfully given their time and funds for this purpose, we extend our deep appreciation, and sincerely hope your loyalty to the institution will continue, and with your splendid co-operation in the future, as in the past, we feel sure that within a short time we can have the most complete equipped Fair Association in West Texas.

In planning for this year's fair we have arranged for ample amusements and splendid free attractions throughout the three days of the fair. We are, however, giving special attention to the agricultural and livestock exhibits—looking to the encouragement of diversified farming.

One of the principal features of the fair this year will be the community float and exhibits—Don't fail to see them.

We want you to know that we have some of the most wide awake communities of any county in West Texas.

Again assuring you of our appreciation for the assistance rendered and hearty co-operation given, by each and every good citizen of this section, and especially the club boys and girls and the various community organizations, in making our annual fair a success, and hoping to meet you at the fair this year, we are

Respectfully,

NORTHWEST TEXAS FAIR ASSOCIATION

JUDGING

Judges of Agricultural, Live Stock and Poultry exhibits furnished by Extension Service, A. & M. College.

Agricultural exhibits to be judged September 24th, at 2 P. M.

The judging of Live Stock and Poultry will begin on September 25th at 9:00 A. M.

Judging in the Women's Department will begin September 25th at 9:00 A. M.

Judging of Community exhibits will begin September 25th at 1:00 P. M.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

REV. I. A. SMITH and F. B. CROCKETT Superintendents

1. A breeding pen shall consist of five birds, one male and four females of the same variety, except turkeys, when one male and two females shall constitute a pen.

2. A pen not winning first, second or third prize may be entered for individual prizes (any individual of said pen).

3. Pens must consist of a cockerel and pullets, or a cock and hens.

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WORK STARTS ON GIRL'S BUILDING AT BURLESON

Greenville.—Construction work has started on the Girl's dormitory at Burleson College following completion of basement excavations. An effort will be made to have the structure ready for occupancy Sept. 21, when the fall term of the institution begins. The building is to replace one destroyed by fire April 8, last.

A movement has been launched by the Baptist women of the Greenville-Dallas district, Woman's Missionary Union, to furnish the building and funds have already been raised by the Royce City Baptist missionary organizations to furnish one room.

The building, three stories high, will be of fireproof material of sufficient size to accommodate ninety young women and will house the fine arts department of the college. It is being erected on a lot south of an apart from the main campus of the college and will cost upwards of \$85,000, exclusive of furnishings and equipment.

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A bottle of Herbine on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two doses is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 60c. Sold by

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SPUR, TEXAS

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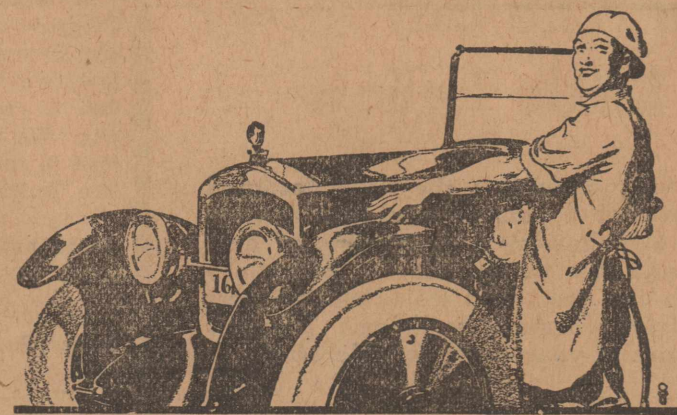
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A complete line of reputable makes. We invite your looking them over.

Red Front Drug Store

McAdoo, were trading with our merchants Tuesday. They report crops fine.

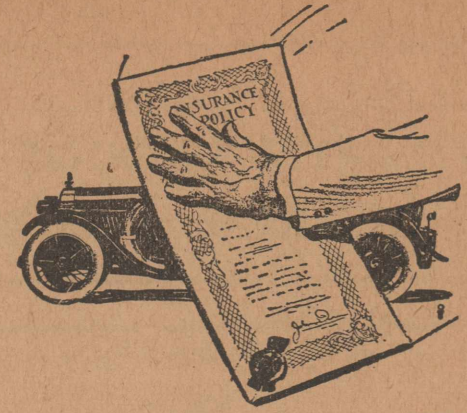
TIMES ads bring results.

JAPANESE ROBBED
BY 'DAGGER GIRL'

TOKYO.—America may have its "bobbed-haired" bandits, but Japan lays claim to having the first "dagger girl" bandit.

Tami Sakakibira, a demure maiden of 25, is in jail at Nagoya, charged with highway robbery. She has been identified, the police allege, as the "dagger girl" who, during the last three months, has robbed a score of men in Nagoya and other cities of Japan. Her method was to approach an intended victim on the street with a bewitching smile and after a few minutes' conversng draw a dagger and demand his money.

C. F. Martin, twelve miles west of town, was in transacting business Tuesday.



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We can supply you with Insurance to cover every possible happening to or from your car. Then if an accident does occur, you are amply protected. The cost is very low.

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FAIR PROGRAM

SEPTEMBER 24, 1925

Base Ball Every Morning at 10 o'clock—Dickens vs. Midland 2:00 P. M.

Wild Cow Milking Contest

1st. Prize ----- \$15.00
2nd. Prize ----- 10.00
3rd. Prize ----- 5.00

JUDGES—J. Foster, H. O. Albin, T. E. McArthur, L. M. Jones.

\$2.50 entrance goes to first prize

3:15 P. M.

Calf Roping Contest

1st Prize ----- \$25.00
2nd Prize ----- 15.00
3rd Prize ----- 10.00

Abide by usual rules. \$2.50 entrance added. Divide two-thirds to first, one-third to second.

4:30 P. M.

Relay Race.

1st. Prize ----- \$75.00
2nd Prize ----- 35.00
\$5.00 entrance to be added to first prize.

SEPTEMBER 25TH.

2:30 P. M.

High School Relay Race, 5-8 mile

1st Prize ----- \$25.00
2nd. Prize ----- 15.00
3rd ----- 10.00

No entrance fee. Money goes to school fund

3:30 P. M.

Football Game — Spur vs. Ralls

SEPTEMBER 26TH.

Same as first day. Rodeo and other performances at different intervals.

Relay Races ----- Entrance \$5.00, Prize \$120.00
Wild Cow Milking ----- Entrance \$2.50, Prize 60.00
Calf Roping ----- Entrance none, Prize 100.00

WOMAN'S DEPARTMENT
Individual Entries

MRS. LURA HOLLINGSWORTH, Director

RULES

- Articles of this department must be exhibited only by the maker of same.
- No article may be exhibited to compete for more than one premium in the General Display Class.
- The Judges will have authority to withhold first premium and award 2nd, if in her opinion the article is not worthy.
- Exhibits must be in place by 9.00 a. m., September 24.
- Canned products should be labeled with the name of the product and the name of the exhibitor should be on the bottom of the jar.
- Club Girls cannot compete in the Woman's Department.

WE EXCELL IN FARM UPPLIES

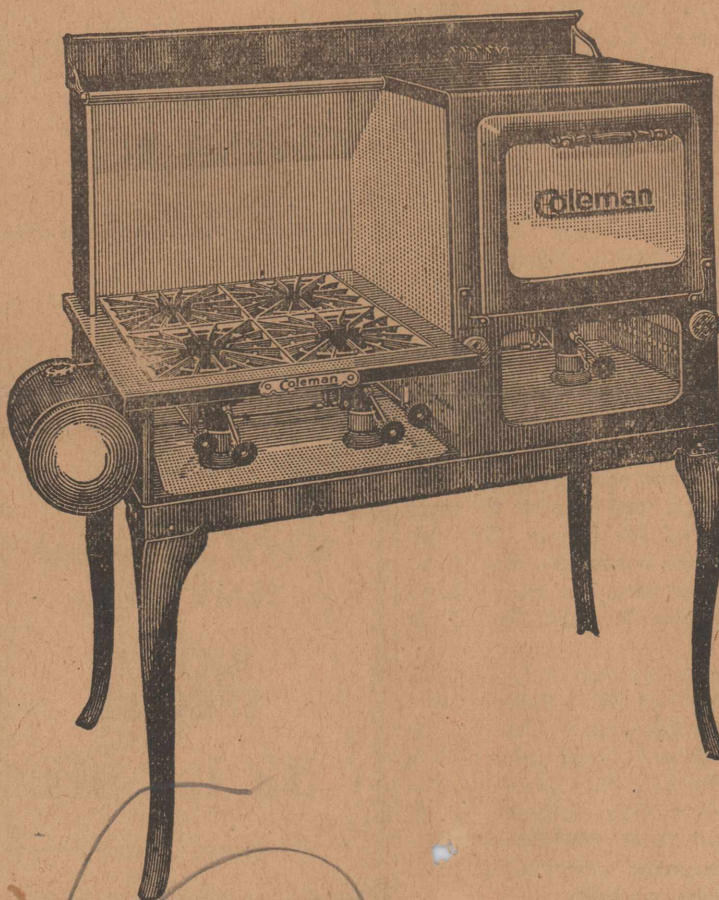
The Best Binder Twine

We have the Binder Twine ready when you need it to harvest your feed crop.

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You will need a new wagon this Fall. We have a good stock of the old reliable Springfield Wagons and Farm Trucks. Every Farmer is pleased with a Springfield.

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Our Coleman Gas Stoves are the best for cooking any time. The wife will be pleased to have one of these nice, durable and convenient stoves in her kitchen.

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The Motor Inn

WELCH & BOND, Prop
AGENTS FOR BUICK CARS

Mrs. G. G. Tharp, Miss Willie Richburg and Mr. Byron Chapman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chapman, west of town, to a fine dinner Monday.

W. B. Ray, representative of Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company of St. Louis, was interviewing our merchants Monday.

Mrs. Lewis King, who has been visiting friends in Abilene, enjoying a vacation in Colorado and a trip to market within the last few weeks, returned Saturday and is now found at her place at Bryant-Link Company.

Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was greeting friends in our city Monday. He is in a meeting at Soldier Mound this week.

J. T. Cozby, west of town, was selling some more fine peaches in our city Tuesday, and looking after other business affairs.

A St. Louis defendant averred that he didn't know he had a bottle of it in his hip pocket. Aphasia or hypochondria?

J. J. Lilly, north of town, was in greeting his many friends Saturday.

DRAUGHONS PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE
ABILENE, TEXAS

A GOOD POSITION, a big salary, is what counts. Four calls last week at \$70—\$85—\$100—and \$150 unable to fill. Get the training that insures a good position and your success is sure. Mail coupon today for Position Contract and SPECIAL INFORMATION and be convinced. Earnest catalog in the South free.

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CAN WE Help You

We sterilize and disinfect a garment while pressing it with clean, hot, dry steam.

Come in and let us explain the many advantages of our up-to-the-minute method.

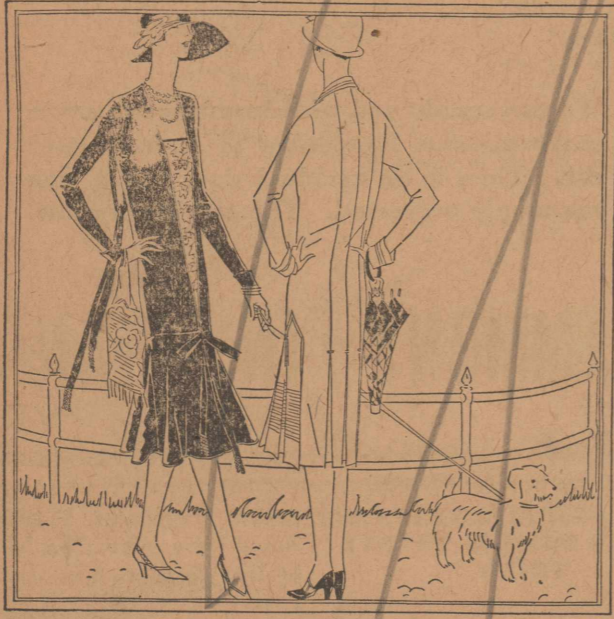
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THE NEWER HERE SPUR, TEXAS

Skirts Rise as Sleeves Fall

by Peggy Paige



THE latest reading on style barometers shows skirts still rising, while sleeves are falling.

Skirts now are resting at 14 inches, though it is predicted they will probably rise to the 16-inch mark before the winter is over. It's greatly feared that this will tend to lower the temperature of knees—when the cold breezes blow,—for the smartest ones will scarcely be covered.

Sleeves have fallen to the wrist this season, for daytime wear, and are much more interesting and varied than they've been for many a moon.

There's an attractive tight-fitting sleeve with a turned-back cuff, the looser shirt sleeve, often with a contrasting cuff peeping out beneath its outer cuff. And there's the peasant sleeve delightfully trimmed with embroidery, contrasting bands, or ribbons and lace. There's the artistic pontifical sleeve and the graceful flowing sleeve of the bishop's robes. In fact, sleeves this season are so artistic they're just about going to run away with the frock. There's nothing to stop 'em but the limits of the designer's imagination—and there aren't any limits.

If you dress correctly this winter, you'll see to it that your skirts are short and your sleeves long—and interesting.

SPUR SCHOOLS WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 7TH.

We are authorized to announce that the city schools of Spur will open Monday, September 7th. All pupils will assemble at nine o'clock for opening exercises and to get announcements for work. It is expected that patrons will take off a little time and go to the school buildings and get acquainted with the teachers, and it might be a great thing if patrons will learn something about the system of work that will be used this year.

Superintendent Watson and the teachers will be at Lubbock next week attending the Teachers' Institute. They will return with the latest ideas of school work and be ready to make our school better by their having gone to Lubbock.

Spur has the best prospects for a great school year, and it is hoped that everybody will work in harmony for a great school. There may be a great many things that will not just please everybody, but let the minor things pass and work to the great aim—a good school.

FAIR COMMITTEES BUSY ASSISTING COMMUNITIES

Tuesday evening the different committees appointed by the Fair Association began their work of assisting different communities and encouraging them to prepare exhibits for the Fair. C. L. Love and R. E. Dickson went to Afton Tuesday evening and found the people of that community in a great revival meeting. However, after services were over the congregation waited to give the visitors an opportunity to explain their mission. They were received well and there is no doubt about Afton. Those people will be at the Fair with a good exhibit, and we shall not be at all surprised if they take home first honors. The following is the committee appointed to look after the work there: J. W. Vandiver, Chairman, Mrs. Vandiver, Rev. A. P. Stokes, Miss Eula Lawson and Leonard Middleton.

Tuesday evening S. H. Twaddell, J. P. Middleton, and R. B. Johnston went to Espuela community and received a good response from those people. They are always ready to do their part. The following committee was appointed to look after the work there: J. L. Karr, Chairman, Mrs. A. B. Morgan, Mrs. J. A. Murphy, Mrs. W. A. Smith and Mr. Howell. V. C. Smart and W. J. Bryant visited the Watson Community and found those people ready for business. They are coming to the Fair plenty strong and expect to carry back some of the honors. The following are the committee: Rev. J. W. Grizzle, Chairman, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Witt.

Wednesday evening C. L. Love, R. B. Johnston and Mrs. Hollingsworth visited the community meeting at Duck Creek and found those people alive on the job. They are managing their work a little different. P. E. Hagins and D. G. Simmons are appointed managers with the author to appoint other assistants.

Geo. S. Link and Webber Williams were at Red Hill community and found the people there co-operating beautifully in behalf of their community exhibit. Their committee is A. B. Frazier, Chairman, Pen Shugart Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Curlee and Mrs. C. D. Coneland.

The committee to Midway Wednesday evening were Mr. Link and Mr. Williams. They met with a good response from those people, and it might be well for the Fair Association to keep in mind that they will be present September 24th. with a nice exhibit. The community committee there are A. L. Pettigrew, Chairman, D. A. Bennett, J. Frank Smith, B. Nichols and C. O. Parker.

Other community meetings are being held over the county and the Fair Association will have representatives to meet with the people to assist in whatever manner they can.

It looks as if Dickens County is going to have the greatest Fair in the west. The people are interested in seeing the county make progress, and are willing to come together, not for the prizes they might win, but to compare products and get each others ideas. It gives them a greater advantage for the next year's work. We are going to have a great Fair this year.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reed, who have been visiting relatives and also friends at McKinney and other points the past two weeks, came in Tuesday. They report a great time, but stated that crops are not so good in East Texas as they are in Dickens County. Well, it takes a very fine county to beat Dickens County.

Mrs. J. O. Tidwell, who has been visiting relatives and friends in East Texas, returned home Tuesday.

TIMES ads bring results.

FORMER TEACHER OF SPUR MARRIED

Prof. Goss D. Cobb, of Midland, and Miss Carol Senning, of Spur, were united in marriage at Slaton last Saturday. It seems the young people had an understanding to meet in Slaton and take the matrimonial vow with each other to be like partners.

Prof. Cobb was teacher of science in Spur High School the past year and was very successful in securing a number of affiliated credits in our schools. He became acquainted with his bride while here, and it seems that their friendship was far greater than any one ever suspected.

The bride is the older daughter of Mrs. Kate Senning, and has a number of friends in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb are visiting with his people for the present. It not yet known whether they will make their home in Midland where Mr. Cobb has a position offered in the city schools, or will enter the drug business in partnership with a brother-in-law of Mr. Cobb.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

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DICKENS CO. ASSOCIATION MEETS SEPTEMBER 8TH

The Dickens County Baptist Association will hold its annual session, beginning Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th, and continue over until Thursday evening, September 10th. The meeting will be with Pansy Baptist Church which is located about three or four miles west of McAdoo.

P. H. Leatherwood is moderator of the Association, and has taken much interest in the work. The Association meets with his home church and the messengers and visitors will be royally entertained.

G. A. Welch has purchased Mr. Bond's interest in the Motor Inn and now has full charge of the business. Mr. Bond returns to Olney where he will engage in business for himself. Mr. Welch retains the agency for Buick Cars and expects to make arrangements to make the business a success. See his "ad" elsewhere in this issue of the Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Daniels arrived here Monday and will be citizens of our town. Mr. Daniels has a position with the Spur National Bank.



School Supply Headquarters

This store is headquarters for School supplies. Everything from a slate pencil to the most technical book needed awaits your selection.

Don't fail to use the Master Piece School Supplies.

CITY DRUG STORE

NOTICE

In compliance with the Texas Automobile Headlight Law the following have been designated as official county Test Stations for Dickens County:

Godfrey & Smart, Spur, Texas
E. L. Caraway, Spur, Texas
Ramsey Garage & Service S. Spur
Gilley Chevrolet Company, Spur, Tex
The Dickens Filling Station, at Dickens, Texas

All of these County Test Stations are now ready to test automobile headlights and issue certificates therefor. The law becomes effective on September 1st, and all owners and operators of automobiles are required by law to have their headlights tested and adjusted before this date.

The certificate issued by the Test Station should be carefully kept, as this must be presented to the Tax Collector when you register your car and procure license numbers for next year. A fee of twenty-five cents is fixed by law. Any repair work or mechanical work necessary to be done before the lights can be tested, and charges for said repair work and mechanical work, is a matter to be agreed upon before the work is done. It will be the duty of the Test Station man to inspect the equipment and inform the car owner of the probable cost of any repair work that may be necessary. In the vast majority of tests no repair work will be needed, and the total cost will be only twenty-five cents. The purpose of the law is to eliminate the glaring, blinding, headlight, which is the cause of so many accidents, resulting in the loss of lives and property, and should be cheerfully complied with by every automobile owner.

H. A. C. Brummett, Co. Judge

NEW GROCERY STORE NOW BEING INSTALLED

Leonard Joplin is installing a new Grocery Store in a portion of the building now occupied by the Spur Candy Kitchen. The building is being divided lengthwise for the purpose of accommodating both businesses.

Mr. Joplin formerly was a member of the grocery firm of Joplin and Gibson and has a great number of friends here. He was fair with his dealings with the people when in business before, and no doubt will command a good patronage in his new business.

The Spur Candy Kitchen will continue, but we understand that it will assume a new name. It has been doing a good business, and in many respects is a great asset to our town.

Wednesday evening while skating Miss Jennie Salem received a very painful injury. Some one fell just ahead of her and in her effort to keep off of them some one else run into her, which tripped her, causing her to fall. After she had fallen another skater passed by and one of his skates passed over her left arm, cutting it very bad. While the hurt was very painful she is getting along nicely and it will not be long until she will be all right.

BOYS AND GIRLS' CLUB WORK

(Continued from Page Five)

the case of chickens, but a pen of turkeys shall consist of one male and two females.

4. Cocks and hens must be shown in the open classes, and not in the club department.

CLUB LIVESTOCK DEPARTMENT

SHEEP CLUB

Best exhibit of sheep, exhibit to consist of one mature ram, one mature ewe, and two lambs, either sex, 1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00.

	1st	2nd	3rd
Best Ewe Lamb	\$2.50	\$1.50	
Best Ewe, aged	3.00	2.00	

HOG CLUB

Best Poland-China Gilt under 6 months	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
Best Poland-China Gilt over 6 months and under one year	3.00	2.00	1.00
Best Duroc Jersey Gilt, under 6 months	3.00	2.00	1.00
Best Duroc Jersey Gilt over 6 months and under 1 year	3.00	2.00	1.00
Best Registered Boar, any breed	3.00	2.00	1.00
Best Mature Sow, any breed	3.00	2.00	1.00
Best Sow and Litter	3.00	2.00	1.00

AMERICAN JERSEY CATTLE CLUB SPECIAL

The American Jersey Cattle Club is offering premiums totaling \$50.00, which are being divided as follows:

Best Registered Jersey Heifer and Calf, cow to count 70 and calf 30 per cent	1st \$10.00	2nd \$5.00	3rd \$3.00	4th \$2.00	5th \$1.00
Best Registered Jersey Heifer, bred or open, not milking	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
Best Registered Jersey Heifer, bred or open, not milking	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00

CHAMPION DAIRY CALF CLUB MARKET—Free Trip to Dallas Fair. (Heifer to be scored on following basis: Show condition, 20 per cent—to be judged by flesh, hair, etc.—Handling—leading, etc.—10 per cent, record book, 20 per cent, type and show qualities, 50 per cent.

BEEF CATTLE CLUB

	1st	2nd	3rd
Best Heifer or Steer, for slaughter	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
Best Registered Heifer, any beef breed	5.00	3.00	2.00
Best Registered Bull, any beef breed	5.00	3.00	2.00

AGRICULTURAL CLUB

	1st	2nd	3rd
Best Ten Heads Milo Maize	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$.50
Best Ten Heads Kaffir	2.00	1.00	.50
Best Ten Heads Peterita	2.00	1.00	.50
Best Ten Ears Corn	2.00	1.00	.50
Best Twenty Open Bolls Cotton	2.00	1.00	.50

W. P. Simpson, manager of Simpson's Barber Shop, is confined to his room this week on account of a very severe cold.

Frank Goff, who has been spending a vacation in Colorado, returned the last of the week, and now is greeting his many friends.